

HCS HB 1108 -- EMERGENCY CALL LOCATION INFORMATION

This bill requires specified telecommunications carrier and commercial mobile service providers to provide, upon request, call location information concerning the user of a telecommunications service or a wireless communications service to a law enforcement official or agency in order to respond to a call for emergency service or to provide caller location information in an emergency situation that involves danger of death or serious physical injury to any person where disclosure of communications relating to an emergency is required without delay. There can be no cause of action in any court against any telecommunications carrier or telecommunications service or commercial mobile service provider as well as any telecommunications service or wireless communications service or its officers, employees, agents, or other specified persons for providing any information, facilities, or assistance to a law enforcement official or agency under these provisions.

These provisions cannot prohibit a telecommunications carrier or commercial mobile service provider from establishing protocols by which it can voluntarily disclose call location information.